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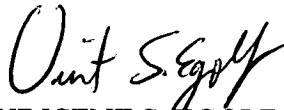
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Column 6, line 10:

wherein the wheel includes a ~~plurity~~ plurality of ~~plunge~~ plunger

Column 6, line 59:

7. A soil probe for collecting soil samples, comprising:

Column 7, line 8:

each probe having ~~and~~ an outer end for receiving and discharging the soil sample; and

Column 7, line 15:

a wheel rotatably mounted on the frame;

Column 8, line 18:

as to discharge ~~to~~ the soil sample through the outer end of the probe;

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